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1. There has been no significant change in the disposition of Democratic Republic of Vietnam (DRV) regular elements which appear to be waiting as a result, perhaps, of having been influenced by General Navarre's Plan.
2. In recent operations at Bui Chu, the 57 Regiment, 304 Division, encircled the zone of operation and drew back before Vietnamese troops in order to avoid combat.

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Comment. The DRV strategy reflects the initiative in choosing the time and place of combat.

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